

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Ulrich HOFMANN

Appl. No: Unassigned

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For: LOOP-FORMING ELEMENTS
FOR KNITTING AND WARP
KNITTING MACHINES

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Preliminary Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicant requests the entry of the following amendment prior to the examination of the above-identified application:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.